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FORMAL SUBMISSION OF:

- 1) Amendment Transmittal;
- 2) Petition for One Month Extension of Time; and
- 3) Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111.

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR A UNIFIED COMMUNICATION
MANAGEMENT VIA INSTANT MESSAGING
Serial No. 10/083,822
Filing Date: February 27, 2002
First Named Inventor: S. KHERADPIR
Atty. No. 01-1004 RCE 1

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Attorney's Docket No. 01-1004 RCE 1

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A UNIFIED COMMUNICATION)	
MANAGEMENT VIA INSTANT)	
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AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.
- ☐ A Terminal Disclaimer and a check for ☐ \$55.00 ☐ \$110.00 to cover the requisite Government fee are also enclosed.
- ☐ Applicant(s) request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$385.00 ☐ \$770.00 fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
- ☐ Applicant(s) previously submitted _____, on _____, for which continued examination is requested.
- ☐ A request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) is also enclosed.

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- ☐ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☒ An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

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Ind. Claims	6	4	2	x \$ 86.00 =	\$172.00
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$280.00					\$424.00
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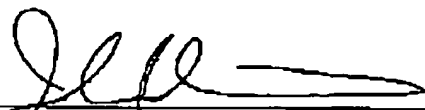
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